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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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BLOOMFIELD BRIEF NOTES.

Window Shades at Cooper's.

Attention is called to the new advertisement of Mr. Abel Baker.

The Montclair Minstrel Troupe held a rehearsal last night.

A musical rehearsal was held at the residence of Mr. Selbert, in Glen Ridge.

Mr. Wm. Raab is improving the front of his ambulance.

Mr. Wm. Poe has moved into his new house on Benson street.

One of the young Prohibitionists of Bloomfield wears a miniature crutch as a scarf.

The contract between the Gas Company and Bloomfield Township, expired on Sept. 30th.

The Gas Company estimated that there are 30 miles of gas mains laid in Bloomfield and Montclair.

Michael Kincannon, who was recently sent to jail for being drunk and disorderly, died there on Tuesday.

The handsome new residence on Newark avenue, being put up by Mr. Fred Mohrman, is approaching completion.

Some very heavy machinery to be set up in Mr. Benson's rolling mill, recently arrived in Bloomfield.

Messrs. Moore & Hayes have sold the residence of Mrs. A. H. Taylor on Linden avenue to Eliza B. French, of New York.

It has been suggested that the proposed new horse car line be extended as far north as Broad street and Bay avenue.

Mr. O'Rourke, the contractor, is putting the finishing touches to the roads recently made by him.

Cars every ten minutes between Glenwood avenue depot and Morris place is what the new street railway company is proposing.

The Orange Cross Town Line, if allowed to lay its tracks in Bloomfield streets, will pass between the rails with cobble stones and one foot outside of them.

A buggy containing two young ladies upset opposite the American House last Sunday afternoon. The ladies were unmercifully tumbled into the road but sustained no injuries.

Our fellow-townsman, Mr. Walter Freeman, would have treated fishermen to a genuine surprise at Greenwood Lake the other day, if his line could have stood the strain.

Citizens who are anxious for cross-walks should congregate on the street corners on Monday afternoon. The Town Committee will make an inspection of the town to ascertain where such walks are most needed.

In the case of Dennis Newport and Mr. George Bolger against the D. L. & W. R. R. Company the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the Plaintiffs, allowing Mr. Newport \$175, and Mr. Bolger \$200.

Apropos of the notes in last week's Citizen of the amount of belting manufactured by James Crisp & Company, they have just received an order for a large amount of belting from a company in New South Wales, Australia.

A force of men are engaged at the buildings on Bloomfield avenue known as the Bloomfield Machine Works. The building has been leased by the Edison Electric Light Company and will be used by them to supply electric light to Bloomfield and Montclair.

Francis M. Eppley appeared before the Township Committee on Wednesday night, with a desire to arrive at an understanding with regard to the proposed horse car line between Orange and Bloomfield. Mr. Eppley is the president of the company and the principal stockholder.

Unprofessional burglars were busy in the town last Saturday night. Mrs. Mary L. Ellsworth's residence on Spruce street, and Mr. John S. C. Bailey's residence on Monroe Place were entered. No very heavy losses were sustained in either place.

Ridgewood avenue, like Glenwood avenue and Orange streets connecting with the Orange and East Orange system of stone roads, should have a road bed made of broken stone. Such was the opinion expressed by a number of the Town Committee Wednesday night.

Mr. T. E. Hayes, who has successfully accomplished the task assigned to him by the president of the Orange Horse Car Company, in securing the consents for the new street railway on Glenwood avenue, has been commissioned to interview Broad street property owners.

Letters remaining uncalled for at the Glen Ridge Post Office Oct. 1st: Austin, J. H.; McCauley, Mr.; Marcell, Lucian; Walsh, Miss Kate; THOR. MORITZ, P. M.

The Bloomfield delegates at the Prohibition Assembly Convention were Messrs. Geo. Roubaud, Wm. Ellor, Victor Welden, Jas. S. Ellor, John W. Sneedler, Edmund A. Smith and Jos. M. Williams.

John Roslin was engaged in the some machinery at the Essex Paper Mill last Saturday. A piece of the machinery fell, and striking him on the right leg, broke his ankle.

Mrs. Jacob Bollenbach, whose hus-

band was recently injured at Davey's paper mills, was suddenly stricken with paralysis while paying a visit to him at the Newark City Hospital. She was conveyed to her home on Belleville avenue, in a police ambulance.

First-class tracks, first-class new Stephenson cars, first-class accommodations in every respect, reasonable fares, and cars every half hour between Orange and Bloomfield: Such were the inducements offered by Mr. Eppley to the Town of Bloomfield Wednesday night.

Jacob Bollenbach, an engineer at Davey's pasteboard mills, met with an accident which may result in the losing of the sight of his right eye. Mr. Bollenbach was engaged in cutting one of the shafts which was out of order when a piece of lead from the steel shaft flew in his eye, injuring it badly.

Thomas W. Smith, Superintendent of the Cemetery has been appointed a special constable. His duties will be confined to the cemetery, and will be without compensation from the township. The officials of the cemetery requested that this appointment be made, owing to the depredations and unruly behavior of a certain class who visit the cemetery on Sundays.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church has elected the following board of managers for the year: Chairman, Mrs. W. H. Schouler; Mrs. W. F. Stubbert, Mrs. Thos. McGowan, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. S. G. Crowell, Mrs. Bellon, Mrs. Frank Hinckle, Miss Emily Stiles, Miss Carrie Stafford, Miss Jennie B. Morris and Miss Lizzie Ailing.

The trial of Howard Speer before Justice Hall on Saturday, ended on the application of his counsel, David Spiv, in a dismissal of the case on an informality in the summons. About two weeks since Speer was closing his place of business, the Glenwood Hotel, when a Scotchman named James Rankin asked him to play cards. They played 4 games of each, all of which Speer won, at \$2 a game. Rankin sued to get his money back.

Messrs. Baldwin and Causbrook, representing the Gas Company, and Messrs. Richards and Benson, who constitute the committee on street lights, held a conference on Wednesday night. The committee informed the representatives of the Gas Company that they were willing to spend the same amount for gas this year as last but on the condition that the lamps burn until half-past twelve. The latter gentlemen said that the Company would make their reply in a few days.

A new enterprise has been started within two weeks at Soho, on the premises formerly occupied by the White Chenille Company, and better known in by-gone years as Adams' Mills. The property has been leased by Messrs. Hartman & Wilcox, of New York, and is now known as the Phoenix Print Works. The principal business of the firm will be the printing of cashmere and satinette goods. A small portion of the extensive factory is running. It will be several weeks before the works will be in full operation. A large quantity of machinery is arriving daily and being put in position. When in complete running order the works will give employment to over a hundred hands.

Glen Ridge Club Election.

The annual meeting and election of the Glen Ridge Club occurred last Tuesday evening. The officers elected for next year are as follows:

President, A. G. Darwin.
Secretary, E. A. Mitchell.
Treasurer, Robert G. Thomas.

Treasuring Committee: A. R. Trew, R. A. G. Darwin, Robert S. Budd, Robert G. Thomas, Joseph D. Gallagher, E. P. Mitchell, Halsey M. Barrett, Arthur J. Lockwood.

Auditing Committee: Theodore M. Nevis, Halsey M. Barrett, Arthur J. Lockwood.

Governing Committee: Francis M. Nevis, Halsey M. Barrett, Arthur J. Lockwood.

At the meeting on Tuesday night it was determined to continue during the coming season, the policy of giving frequent entertainments at the club house. The success of last year's series of receptions, concerts, dances, card parties and exhibitions of various sorts, was undoubted. There were fifteen entertainments in all and some of these supplied by professional talent, were of an order of merit that would have filled Library Hall, if the audience had not been limited by the Club's rules to the members and their families. The Club intends to make its programme for this fall and next winter and spring equally attractive, without repeating, to any great extent, the special features of last season.

The report of the Governing Committee for the past year shows a membership of about sixty, and a generally prosperous condition of affairs, both financially and otherwise. A tennis ground with three excellent courts has been added to the premises, and a plan for building a bowling alley, with a hall overhead for amateur theatrical performances and other stage entertainments, is under consideration.

The Club long ago passed out of the experimental stage of existence, and became one of the established social institutions of the town.

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Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The Woman's Auxiliary held an interesting meeting Monday afternoon.

The meeting Sunday afternoon will be of great interest to all. Don't fail to attend.

D. S. Moore, the new State Secretary of New Jersey, was a visitor at the Association Rooms last Saturday, and the guest of Secretary Hart.

The Sunday afternoon meeting at 4 o'clock will be led by Maria Bellon. Topic: "A backslider brings trouble to others." Jonah 1, 1-10.

At Hope Chapel Dr. Harry E. Richards will conduct the service, and at Montgomery school house, Lewis Dawkins will preside.

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Under Auspices of Essex H. and L. Co. No. 1.

Wednesday Evening, Oct. 19th:

"The Parks and Environs of London."

Saturday Evening, Oct. 22d:

"Colorado, New Mexico and Utah."

Wednesday Evening, Nov. 16th:

"Florence and Pisa."

The above have never been presented to a Bloomfield audience and are equally attractive as those presented by Mr. Ragan during the past two seasons.

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